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GHOST TOWN GREED

MORNING, JOHNNY!
NOT MUCH MAIL FOR US
TODAY, BUT HERE'S SOMETHING
FOR CY DOUGLAS... FEEL
LIKE RIDING OUT AND
TAKING IT TO HIM?

SURE, MR. TROOP. IT'S BEEN A WHILE
SINCE I'VE SEEN CY. SEEMS HE SPENDS
ALL HIS TIME OUT IN THAT OLD GHOST
TOWN!

E POST OF ICE

WE MIGHT AS
WELL... WE
COULD /?

YEAH, BUT I DON'T
KNOW HOW A MAN
COULD LIVE OUT
THERE ALL ALONE.

WHAT TIME LATER...

WELL, HOWDY THERE,
JOHNNY MCKAY! LONG
TIME SINCE I'VE
SEEN YOU!

SAME HERE, CY! BUT
I KNOW I'D FIND YOU
HERE AT YOUR HOTEL.

[illegible]

FUNNY ABOUT LIVING
HERE, JOHNNY...IT KEEPS
THE PAST PRETTY MUCH
ALIVE ...

WHAT ABOUT THE ANYWAY,
CY? ISN'T IT ABOUT TIME
YOU FORGOT THE OLD DAYS
AND MOVED INTO LARAMIE
...SEE THE ACQUAINTANCE?



YOU REALLY
DON'T THINK
YOU'LL
DISCOVER
GOLD HERE
AGAIN?

WOULDN'T BE HERE
IF I ANYWAY THINK
SO? I OWN THIS
TOWN, BOY! AND
I'M GONNA LIVE TO
SEE IT GROW AGAIN!



MAUDE KIMBLE'S
BEEN ASKIN' ABOUT
YOU, CY...SAYS
THERE'S ALWAYS
ROOM FOR YOU AT
HER BOARDIN'-
HOUSE!

THAT WOMAN'S BEEN
AFTER ME FOR FIVE
YEARS...BUT I LIKE
BEING A BACHELOR
AND I'M NOT BEING
TRAPPED!



DON'T NEED NOBODY
LOOKIN' AFTER ME!
AND YOU DIDN'T COME
OUT HERE TO TALK
ABOUT MAUDE KIMBLE,
DID YOU?

HEY! YOU'RE RIGHT!
MARSHAL TROOP HAD
ME BRING THIS
LETTER TO YOU!



LETTER, EHT ONE DAY
THE POST OFFICE HERE'LL
BE OPEN AGAIN...BUT
I CAN'T FIGURE WHO'D
BE SENDIN' ME ANY MAIL...

YOU'LL
FIND OUT
IF YOU
READ IT!



YEAH...GUESS
I WILL...

SEE YOU SOON,CY!



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HEY, I JUST REMEMBERED...
I CAN'T READ! SOMEBODY IT!
NOW I'LL HAVE TO GO ALL THE
WAY INTO LARAMIE TO FIND OUT
WHAT'S IN THIS CONSERVED
LETTER...



LATER THAT DAY...

IT'S FROM CHICAGO, CY...
FROM A MR. SIMPSON...



NEVER HEARD OF HIM!
GO ON! READ IT, DAN!

"...AND SO, BEFORE YOUR COUNIN MINNIE PASSED ON,
SHE REQUESTED THAT THE CARE OF HER GRANDCHILD BE
ENTRUSTED TO YOU, HER ONLY LIVING RELATIVE.
LITTLE CHARLIE SHOULD ARRIVE ABOUT THE
TWENTY-FIRST OF THE MONTH..."

WELL, I'LL BE DOGGONE!
A BOY! AND HE'LL BE HERE
ON THE TWENTY-FIRST...



AND THAT'S
TOMORROW!

NOW MAYBE YOU'LL
DECIDE ON MOVING
INTO LARAMIE...



MOVE, NOTHIN'!
WHY, DOUGLAS
CITY'S THE
PERFECT PLACE
TO RAISE THAT
BOY! HE CAN
HELP ME LOOK
FOR GOLD...
WE CAN HUNT
AN' FISH...





THAT OLD TOWN IS FALLIN' APART AT THE SEAMS... IT WOULDN'T TAKE MUCH TO ENCOURAGE A FEW ACCIDENTS... MAYBE WE CAN CONVINCE HIM IT'S TOO DANGEROUS TO LIVE THERE!



THAT NIGHT IN DOUGLAS CITY...



KEEP QUIET, WADE! WE'VE GOT TO SET THIS UP REAL CAREFUL... LIKE FRANK SAYS, THE THINGS THAT ARE GONNA START HAPPENING AROUND HERE GOTTA LOOK ACCIDENTAL...

THE NEXT DAY THE STAGE ARRIVES IN LARAMIE...



HERE IT COMES, JOHNNY!

I SURE WISH CY COULD HAVE BEEN HERE... HE BEENED REAL EXCITED ABOUT HAVING CHARLIE COMING TO LIVE WITH HIM!

GOLLY, MR. TROOP, I DON'T SEE ANY BOY...

MAKES THE DRIVER CAN TELL US WHAT HAPPENED TO HIS PASSENGER...



BUT WHEN THEY QUESTION THE DRIVER...

NOPE... SURE DIDN'T HAVE NO LITTLE BOY PASSENGER... JUST THE GIRL, THERE... COME TO LIVE WITH CY DOUGLAS, SHE SAYS!

WHAT? THAT'S CHARLIE?



THE MIX-UP IS SOON EXPLAINED...

CHARLENE'S MY NAME
MR. TROOP...BUT JUST
ABOUT EVERYONE CALLS
ME CHARLIE!

LOOKS LIKE
CY'S IN FOR
A SURPRISE!
WONDER HOW
HE'S GOING TO
TAKE IT?

DO YOU THINK
COUSIN CY WILL
LIKE ME?

SURE HE WILL, CHARLIE...
IT MIGHT TAKE HIM A LITTLE
TIME TO GET USED TO THE
IDEA OF YOU BEING A GIRL!
LET'S GO MEET HIM
RIGHT NOW!

WHEN THEY REACH THE
GHOST TOWN AND
INTRODUCTIONS ARE MADE...

CHARLIE? A GIRL?
WHAT KIND OF A JOKE
IS THAT? THIS TOWN'S
NO PLACE FOR A
FEMALE!

NO JOKE...THE
LETTER, JUST
DIDN'T EXPLAIN
THINGS CLEARLY
ENOUGH!

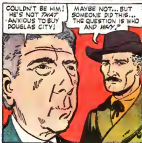
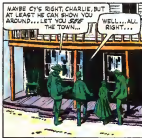
I WON'T BE ANY
TROUBLE, COUSIN CY
...I CAN COOK AND
SEW...AND DO ALL
KINDS OF THINGS!

DON'T NEED NO
COOKIN' AND SEWIN'
...AND JUST CALL
ME CY, CHILD...ER
...CHARLIE...

CY, YOU OUGHT TO
BE ASHAMED OF
YOURSELF! THIS
IS NO KIND OF
WELCOME!

YOU BEEN TALKIN' ABOUT
MADE KIMBLE'S BOARDIN'
HOUSE ... SHE CAN LIVE
THERE! I'LL FOOT
THE BILLS...

BUT, CY... I
WANT TO STAY
WITH YOU!



WHY DOESN'T HE LIKE ME, MR. TROOP? WHAT'S WRONG?

IT'S NOT YOU, CHARLIE...IT'S ALL WOMEN...CY JUST NEEDS TIME...I THINK HE'LL LEARN TO UNDERSTAND...NOW COME ON...I'LL GIVE YOU A HISTORICAL TOUR OF DOUGLAS CITY...



...AND YEARS AGO, THIS TOWN WAS ONE OF THE IMPORTANT GOLD MINING CENTERS IN THIS PART OF THE COUNTRY...



RIGHT THERE...THAT OLD ENTRANCE LEADS INTO A MINE TUNNEL...THE TOWN WAS BUILT DIRECTLY ABOVE THE MINES...

YOU MEAN THE GOLD IS UNDER THE TOWN?

IT WAS, CHARLIE...UNTIL THE VEINS RAN OUT...



SOME OF THOSE TUNNELS ARE NOT FAR BENEATH THE SURFACE...AND THEY RUN UNDERNEATH MOST OF THE TOWN...

GOSH, IT'D SURE BE EXCITING TO LIVE HERE...MAYBE IF I LEARNED TO RIDE...AND DO SOME THINGS BOYS DO...MAYBE THEN CY WOULD CHANGE HIS MIND!

IT'S WORTH A TRY, CHARLIE...



WOND IF I VOLUNTEER AS HER TEACHER, MR. TROOP?

I THINK IT'S A FINE IDEA, JOHNNY...AND I CAN'T THINK OF A BETTER TEACHER!



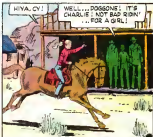
THROUGHOUT THE NEXT FEW DAYS,
JOHNNY MCKAY TEACHES CHARLIE
THE ART OF RIDING A HORSE...



THE YOUNG GIRL IS A WILLING
PUPIL AND SOON...



LATER, IN DOUGLAS CITY...



ON ONE CONDITION...
COOKIN' IS FINE...
BUT NO JERRY!



MEANWHILE, IN FRANK PORTER'S
OFFICE IN LARAMIE . . .

THOSE ACCIDENTS YOU BOYS HAVE
CAUSED HAVEN'T DISCOURAGED OLD
CY! SEE HERE...THIS
TUNNEL RUNS UNDER
HIS HOTEL...



IT WON'T TAKE MUCH DYNAMITE TO
COLLAPSE THAT BUILDING...AND
WITH DOUGLAS OUT OF THE WAY,
I CAN GET CONTROL OF THAT
PROPERTY WITH A LOT LESS
TROUBLE...

WE'LL TAKE
CARE OF IT,
FRANK!

BUT WHAT ABOUT THAT KID?
HE'S GOT AN HEIR NOW!



THE KID'S NO PROBLEM —
I'VE GOT THAT ALL FIGURED
OUT LEGALLY!



DAN TROOP, TOO, HAS BEEN DOING SOME FURTHER
CHECKING ON THE NOT SO ACCIDENTAL ACCIDENTS
AT DOUGLAS CITY...

FIND OUT ANYTHING,
MR. TROOP?

NOTHING MUCH,
JOHNNY...



PORTER CLAIMS HE WANTS DOUGLAS CITY FOR SOME KIND OF MUSEUM... TO PRESERVE THE HISTORY OF AN OLD GOLD TOWN... AND WE'D LIKE TO GET IT BEFORE IT FALLS COMPLETELY APART!



DO YOU BELIEVE THAT?

NO...BUT UNLESS WE HAVE SOME PROOF HE RIGGED THOSE ACCIDENTS...THERE'S LITTLE WE CAN DO! WE CAN MAKE SURE THAT PORTER DOESN'T TRY ANYTHING IN DOUGLAS CITY TONIGHT!



WE'RE RIDING OUT THERE AND WE'LL MAKE SURE CY AND CHARLIE ARE SAFE!



THAT NIGHT, AS THEY APPROACH THE GHOST TOWN...

NO SENSE IN ALARMING CY...WE'LL JUST WAIT OUTSIDE OF TOWN FOR AWHILE...

THEN WE CAN GO IN ON FOOT...IF PORTER'S IN TOWN, AHA! WE CAN SURPRISE HIM!



AND AT THE SAME MOMENT...

WE'LL ENTER DOWN THAT SHAFT BACK OF THE HOTEL...



YOU GOT THE DYNAMITE?

YEAH...LET'S GO...I WANT TO GET THIS DONE!







GET CY AND CHARLIE
OUT OF THAT HOTEL!
AND AUBREY! I'M
GOING INTO THIS
TUNNEL...

ALL RIGHT,
MR. TROOP!
I'LL GET TO
THEM FAST!



IN THE BLACKNESS OF THE TUNNEL,
SAN TROOP MOVES TOWARD A
FLICKERING LIGHT...

THEY'RE DOWN HERE,
ALL RIGHT! AND IT
CAN MEAN ONLY ONE
THING... THEY'RE
PLANTING DYNAMITE!



WE'RE RIGHT UNDER
THE HOTEL! LET'S
SET THIS LIT AND
CLEAR OUT OF
HERE!



HOLD IT RIGHT
THERE, MEN!

MARSHAL
TROOP!



THE BURNING FUSE AND
DYNAMITE, ACCIDENTALLY
DROPPED BY PORTER'S MEN,
QUICKLY BECOMES A
DEADLY THREAT...

THAT STUFF'LL
BLOW ANY
MINUTE!

LET US
OUTA
HERE!

MOVE... AND WHEN YOU
GET OUTSIDE... STOP!
AND STAND STILL!

JUST IN TIME, JOHNNY, CY, AND CHARLIE
RUSH FROM THE DOOMED HOTEL...

WE MADE IT!

WHAT ABOUT DAN?
WHERE IS HE?



HERE I AM, CY! AND
HERE ARE PORTER'S MEN
...THEY'VE CONFESSED
HE HIRED THEM...

BUT WHY, DAN?
EVERYBODY KNOWS
THERE'S NO GOLD
HERE!



PORTER FOUND OUT
THERE'S A FORTUNE
IN COPPER IN THOSE
OLD MINES!

THEN DOUGLAS
CITY IS GONNA
BLOOM AGAIN!



WE'LL TAKE THESE
TWO INTO TOWN AND
ARREST PORTER...

AND YOU KNOW SOMETHIN', YOUNG LADY, YOU'RE GONNA BE THE
QUEEN OF DOUGLAS CITY! I MIGHT EVEN START COURTIN'
MAUDE KIMBLE, TOO...
YESSIR, THINGS ARE
GONNA CHANGE!

I'M SO HAPPY FOR US, CY! AND I'M
HIGHTY GLAD MARSHAL TROOP AND
JOHNNY GOT HERE IN TIME!



WE'RE GLAD, TOO, CHARLIE!
BESIDES, I THINK THAT JUST
REALLY GOT RID OF THE
GHOSTS IN DOUGLAS
CITY... AND BEFORE
LONG IT'LL BE A
BUSTLING PLACE
LIKE CY ALWAYS
SAID IT WOULD!

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THE NIGHTHAWK



Illustration by Bob Schuchman. Printed in green ink.

It was Jack Tate's first time as nighthawk for the herd, and he hummed softly as he rode between the quiet cattle and the line of pocketed horses.

Jack had joined the drive two weeks before in Hopetown, where Jim Gary and his top hand, Joe Brick, had stopped for supplies.

When he had asked for a job, Brick had looked at him hard, asking sharply, "Kid, are you any kin to FRANK TATE?"

Jack had hesitated only a moment before answering, "I'm his brother, but I haven't seen Frank for over three years!"

"Did you hear that, Boss?" Brick had asked. "This kid's brother's a thieving outlaw! You can't risk hiring him!"

"Why not?" Gary had replied. "Being brother to an outlaw doesn't make him one, too. We'll give him a chance to prove what he is."

Jack had been grateful for the job, and he proved to be good at handling cattle. At first, the men had treated him as an outsider, watching him hard to see if his outlaw blood would show. Then they had grown more friendly, but still a wall of suspicion separated them from Jack.

Then, the call had come from Gary for Jack to stand night guard with the trail veteran, Hal Loomis, and Jack knew for sure that the boss, at least, had accepted him fully.

Jack was still humming, when he met Hal at the far end of the loosely bunched herd.

"So far, so good," Hal greeted him, then added with blunt frankness, "Can't understand how a fine kid like you could be a blood brother to a skunk like Frank Tate?"

"Sometimes it's hard for me to realize it, too," Jack replied, "but I am. Frank was always wild. He ran away from home before he was half-grown, broke poor Ma's heart!"

Hal muttered, "Too bad" and headed back toward the far side of the herd.

Jack heard the horses acting as though something must be spooking the ones at the end of the line, and he rode to check.

"Take it easy," Jack calmed the animals.

As he dismounted, he felt the hard muzzle of a gun in his back.

"You take it easy, too, fella!" a voice warned. "Turn around and give me your gun."

Jack turned and looked into the face of his brother Frank.

They both gasped. Frank spoke first.

"JACK, what are you doing here?"

Jack told him, adding, "What do you want?"

"Four fresh horses. We've gotta have 'em, kid! Ours are worn out. All you need do is turn your back for a minute!" Frank grinned confidently and lowered his gun.

Instantly, Jack drew his own gun.

"No!" he said firmly. "Now, get out of here fast, Frank! Leave while you can!"

"Don't be a fool, kid. It's four against one." Frank snapped harshly, then softened his voice. "I'm your brother . . . help me this time. I swear I won't bother you again."

"Drop that gun, fella!" a new voice commanded, as two men moved from the shadows.

"We'll make sure you don't ever point us out to the law," the other one muttered.

"Don't shoot!" Frank ordered sharply. "You'll bring the whole camp down on us!"

"That'll do the job nice and quiet," a fourth voice spoke behind Jack, and a clubbed rifle fell toward Jack's head.

Frank's gun roared and blasted the rifle far into the air.

"Don't touch him!" Frank yelled. "He's my brother!" He stopped as voices came from the awakening camp. "Forget the fresh horses and get moving fast, boys!" he ordered.

The outlaws fled into the darkness, as Gary and the trail hands rushed to Jack.

Jack answered their questions truthfully, adding quietly, "Frank saved my life."

"And you saved our horses," Gary said.

"You're all right, Jack," Brick added.

The men agreed with loud enthusiasm, and Jack knew at last that he was a full member of the seasoned trail crew.

THE TALKER



ALL ABOARD!

HOWDY, MR. SIMPSON... MAKIN' YOUR WEEKLY TRIP I SEE...

THAT'S RIGHT MR. FINLEY... HAVE TO LOOK AFTER THINGS IN RED VALLEY... I'VE INVESTED A LOT THERE!



HELLO FELLOW! I'M FINLEY... SALESMAN WITH RAINBOW WAGON PARTS... THIS IS MR. SIMPSON... OUR LOCAL BANKER!

CARSON'S MY NAME, FELLAS! RANGIN' IS WHAT I DO!



WE HAVE A LONG TRIP AHEAD... MAYBE WE CAN INTEREST YOU IN OUR CARD GAME, CARSON!

NO MONEY MR. CARSON... JUST A FRIENDLY GAME!



AS THE STAGE IS ABOUT TO LEAVE...

HOLD IT! HOLD THE STAGE! WAIT FOR ME!



HERE GOES OUR CARD GAME! ALVIN PEPPER IS TAKING THE STAGE AGAIN!

OH, WOOW! NOT THIS WEEK!



YESSIR...LIKE LAST WEEK, FOR INSTANCE...
SAW BIG BUCK KILLER, IN PERSON! THEY'RE
RUNNIN' HIM FOR GOVERNOR, Y'KNOW
TALKED TO HIM, MYSELF!



"BIG BUCK" I GAVE "MY NAME'S ALVIN
PEPPER...GOT SOME SUGGESTIONS FOR YOU
ON HOW TO RUN THINGS WHEN YOU GET IN
OFFICE... I SEE THINGS... KNOW HOW THE
PEOPLE FEEL..."



AND SO IT GOES HOUR AFTER HOUR AFTER
HOUR...

...AN' YOU TAKE MY MOTHER-
IN-LAW... GREAT WOMAN, GAVE ME
AN' THE BUSSUS A THOUSAND
DOLLARS CASH WHEN WE GOT
MARRIED...



AS THE STAGE IS ONE HOUR
FROM ITS DESTINATION...



THE PASSENGERS ARE FORCED OUT OF
THE STAGE...

WE WANT YOUR
VALUABLES...
ALL OF THEM!

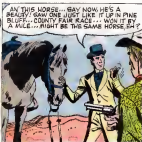
THIS IS ONE THING THAT
OUGHT TO SHUT ALVIN UP!
MIGHT BE WORTH LOSIN'
MY WATCH!



BUT ALVIN'S CONVERSATION GOES ON...

YOU FELLAS REALLY ROBBERS, EH? GUESS
BUSINESS MUST BE GOOD, STAGES MOVIN'
LIKE THEY ARE TODAY... MORE AN' MORE
PEOPLE TRAVELIN'...





AS ALVIN TALKS, THE BEMUDERED OUTLAWS STARE AT HIM...



LAWMAN

DAY OF THE LONG KNIVES



LOOK, MR. TROOP!
BIG JESS MOLEN AND TWO
OF HIS FRIENDS! WE COULD
BE IN FOR A FEW ROWDY
DAYS WITH THOSE BUFFALO
HUNTERS IN TOWN!

OH, JESS IS ALL
RIGHT! IT'S JUST
WHEN FOLKS RUB
HIM THE WRONG WAY
...HE'S QUICK TO
FIGHT BACK!
TREATED RIGHT, JESS
WOULDN'T HARM
ANYONE!



HOWDY, JESS!
LOOKS LIKE YOU
FELLAS HAVE
MORE THAN
BUFFALO HIDES
THIS TRIP!

YEP—SOME SMALLER
SKINS... DEER AND
ANTELOPE! DANGED
TOOTIN' TRAINS AND
SODABUSTERS ARE
SCARIN' THE
HERDS OFF!



SAM! MAURY! THIS HERE'S
DAN TROOP! DON'T LET HIS
SPINDLY LOOKS FOO YOU...
HE'S A RIGHT GOOD
FIGHTIN' MAN!

HOWDY!

HOWDY!



NICE TO MEET
YOU FELLAS!
STAYING IN
TOWN LONG?

NO LONGER'N WE
WAPTA! WHY YOU ASK,
CAN'T YOU EXPECTIN'
US DIRTY OL' BUFFALO
HUNTERS TO CAUSE
TROUBLE?



NOT AT ALL, JESS!
IT'S JUST THAT I
HOPE YOU ALL
REMEMBER YOU'RE
NOT OUT ON THE
TRAIL!

WE KNOW WHERE WE
ARE...AND WE DON'T
LIKE IT NO MORE'N
THE GOOD PEOPLE
OF LARAMIE!

AND THEY WOULDN'T
BE HERE IF WE HADN'T
OPENED UP THE TRAIL!
ALL THEY DID WAS
FOLLOW ALONG AND
TAKE THE PICKIN'S!

I THINK MOST OF THE FOLKS
APPRECIATE IT! ~~JOHNNY~~
ALWAYS HAS TO BREAK TRAIL!

THEN WHY ARE THEY ALL SO
HIGH-AND-MIGHTY...LOOKIN'
DOWN THEIR NOSES AT US?



RECKON THEY SIDE IN
WITH THE INDIANS IN
HATIN' US...SOME
STILL CALL US
LONG KNIVES, JUST
LIKE INDIANS DID!

IT'S NOT THAT,
JESS! YOUR LIFE
ISN'T LIKE THEIRS
...YOU'RE THE
LOVIN' KING! THEY
HAVE ROOTS!



AS FAR AS WE'RE CONCERNED, THERE'S
NOTHIN' LIKE LIVIN' IN THE OPEN, WITH
THE SKY FOR A ROOF
AND THE GOOD EARTH
UNDER OUR FEET
FOR A FLOOR!
AND WE WANT
NOTHIN' MORE
...CEPT TO SELL
OUR FELTS!



TAKE A GOOD
LOOK, JOHNNY!
YOU WON'T BE
SEEN THEIR
KIND MUCH
LONGER!

I GUESS YOU'RE
RIGHT, MR. TROOP...
THEY'RE A
VANISHING BREED!
CIVILIZATION'S
KILLING THEM!



WELL, LET'S JUST HOPE NO ONE GIVES
THEM A HARD TIME! THEY'D SET LARAMIE
RIGHT ON ITS EAR!
BE A SHAME IF WE
HAD TO COOP THEM
UP IN A CELL!

I'LL SAY! THEY
DON'T LOOK LIKE
THE TYPE TO
COOP EASY!



A FEW MOMENTS LATER, INSIDE JOHNSON'S TRADING POST...

WELL, JESS HOLEK! HOWDY, BOYS!
LOOKS TO BE A MIGHTY FINE
PRIMAY COMIN' TO YOU!

YOU JUST SET TO ADDIN' THE BELTS,
JOHNSON! PAY US AN' WE'LL BE ON
OUR WAY! AND MIND YOU, A FAIR
COUNT ON THOSE HIDES OUTSIDE!



NOW, JESS! YOU KNOW YOU'VE
ALWAYS GOTTEN FULL COUNT
FROM ME! BUT YOU GO AHEAD
...HAVE YOUR JOKE!

NOW, THEY'RE
NOT JOKIN',
JOHNSON...
THEY ARE
JOKES!

SURE... LOOK JUST LIKE
THE BUFFALO THEY WENT
...CERTIN' THEY STAND
ON TWO LEGS!

NOW, FELLAS!
NO TROUBLE!



WON'T BE ANY TROUBLE
...IF THIS BUFFALO MAN
JUST STEPS OUT OF THE
WAY!

I STEP OUT
OF THE WAY
FOR NO MAN!

THEN MAYBE YOU'LL
MOVE FOR FINE! IF
YOU DON'T, I'LL BLOW
YOUR HEAD OFF!

DON'T! THERE'S
NO NEED...



DON'T ARGUE FOR ME, JOHNSON! IF THAT PIP-SQUEAK DOESN'T PUT THAT GUN DOWN, I'LL MAKE HIM EAT IT!

YOU AND WHO ELSE?



ME AND MY PIST!

Sucky



YOU JUST KEEP YOUR GUN STILL, SONYNY!

LET THEM ARGUE THIS OUT AMONGST THEMSELVES!



I'M GETTING THE LAW! THEY'LL RUN MY PLACE!



MOMENTS LATER...

YOU FELLAS GOTTA COME QUICK! BIG JESS AN' SOME WRANGLER'S TEARIN' UP MY TRAPIN' POST!

WELL, MR. TROOP...HERE WE GO!

LOOKS LIKE IT, JOHNNY... BUT, UNLESS I'M WRONG, JESS DIDN'T START IT!



DAN AND JOHNNY ARRIVE JUST-IN-TIME TO KEEP BIG JESS FROM KNOCKING THE WRANGLER RIGHT THROUGH THE WALL. . .

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WHO'S GOING TO
HANDLE THIS RAMAGE,
MARSHAL? SOMEBODY'S
GOTTA PAY!

THIS FELLA
STARTED IT! HE'LL
PAY OR SPEND TIME
IN JAIL!



SURE THANK
YOU FOR TALKIN'
OUR SIDE, DAN!

NO NEED, JESS! IF YOU
HAD BEEN WRONG, I'D
HAVE BEEN JUST AS
ROUGH ON YOU!



ALL RIGHT, TROOP.
YOU WIN FOR NOW!
BUT DON'T THINK
I'LL TAKE THIS
LYIN' DOWN!

I DON'T CARE HOW
YOU TAKE IT! NOW,
GO ON ABOUT YOUR
BUSINESS!



WE'LL THANKS ANYWAY!
WE'LL JUST FINISH OUR
DEALIN'S WITH JOHNSON
AND BE ON OUR WAY!

ALL RIGHT,
JESS! SEE
YOU NEXT
TRIP!



TEN MINUTES LATER, WITH JOHNNY OUT ON
FOOT PATROL, DAN HAS VISITORS...

WELL, GENTLEMEN
OF THE CITY
COUNCIL! WHAT
CAN I DO
FOR YOU?

WE'RE CALLIN' A
MEETIN' OF THE COUNCIL!
WE DON'T WANT THE
LIKES OF HIS JESS AND
HIS FRIENDS IN TOWN!



OH, YOU DON'T?
WHAT WOULD YOU
LIKE ME TO DO,
REWRITE THE
CONSTITUTION?

NOW, DAN, DON'T
FLY OFF THE
HANDLE! WE'RE
JUST TRYING TO TELL
YOU THEY GIVE THE
TOWN A BAD NAME!



MR. BOGGS, LARAMIE WOULDN'T EVEN HAVE A NAME IF IT WEREN'T FOR THE LONG KNIVES! THEY FOUGHT AND DIED FOR EVERY FOOT OF THIS TERRITORY! WITHOUT MEN LIKE THEM, WE'D ALL BE BACK IN ONE OF THOSE EASTERN BEEHIVES THEY CALL CITIES!



THAT MAY BE, DAN... BUT PROGRESS WAS PASSED THEM, RIGHT SY! THEY'VE GOT NO PLACE...

NO PLACE, MR. SMATHERS! THEY'VE GOT MORE RIGHT IN LARAMIE THAN YOU HAVE... OR I HINE!



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GET A BUCKET BRIGADE GOING, JOHNNY! WE'LL NEED EVERY AVAILABLE MAN!



AS THE CITIZENS OF LARAMIE TURN OUT TO FIGHT THE FIRE, THE LONG KNIVES HEAD OUT OF TOWN. . .



LOOKS LIKE THE TOWN'S CITIZENS HAVE A LITTLE TROUBLE ON THEIR HANDS!

BEST THING COULD HAPPEN IS TO LET THE WHOLE KASBOODLE BURN RIGHT DOWN, IF YOU ASK ME!

MERBIE 'WE FIGURE THAT WAY, SAM... BUT I RECKON WE'RE KINDA OUTNUMBERED THESE DAYS! MOST FOLKS LIKE TO HAVE A ROOF OVER THEIR HEAD!



SO, I RECKON WE'D BETTER PITCH IN AND HELP THEM OUT!

GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, JESS!



THE FIRE BURNS FIERCELY, SPREADING TO NEARBY BUILDINGS, THREATENING TO DESTROY ALL OF LARAMIE . . .

*MORE WATER!
FASTER! FASTER!*



WITHOUT HESITATION, JESS AND HIS FRIENDS JOIN IN THE BATTLE TO SAVE THE TOWN...

YOU HEARD THE MARSHAL, MISTER!
LET'S **MOVE!**



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